(c) and (d) The main reasons for the low performance of the B.I.C. group of companies have been severe working capital constraints, obsolete plant and machinery, non-availability of essential raw material, heavy interest burden, high cost of production, etc. There is no proposal under consideration at present to restructure the management of the BIC group of companies.

घाटे में चल रही एन टी सी मिलों के बारे में किया गया अध्ययन

2831. **श्री राम जेठमलानी :**
सरदार जगजीत सिंह अरोड़ा :

क्या वस्त्र मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या यह सच है कि 1986 में घाटे में चल रही एन टी सी की कपड़ा मिलों के कार्यकरण के बारे में एक विस्तृत अध्ययन कराया गया था;

(ख) यदि हां, तो क्या उस अध्ययन से इन मिलों में घाटा होने के मुख्य कारणों का पता चला था;

(ग) यदि हां, तो क्या सरकार ने गत वर्षों के दौरान इस स्थिति में सुधार लाने के लिए कदम उठाए हैं; और

(घ) यदि हां, तो उनका ब्यौरा क्या है और कितनी मिलों को व्यवहार्य बना दिया गया है?

वस्त्र मंत्रालय के राज्य मंत्री (श्री अशोक गहलोत) : (क) जी, नहीं।

(ख) से (घ) प्रश्न नहीं उठते।

Memorandum from the Staff Association of Birds Jute & Exports Ltd., Calcutta

2832. SHRI SAMAR MUKHERJEE: Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state :

(a) whether a copy of the Memorandum dated 15.11.91 from the Staff Association of Birds Jute and Exports Ltd., Calcutta, addressed to the Chairman, Birds Juts & Exports Ltd., Calcutta, has been received by Government;

(b) whether the memorandum deals with problem arising out of unwisely proportion of Senior Administrative Officers and inefficiency in the Management; and

(c) if so, what steps have been taken by Government in the matter?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES (SHRI ASHOK GEHLOT) : (a) and (b) Yes, Sir

(c) The Memorandum has been forwarded to the Jute Commissioner, who is at present, looking after the work of BJEL, for appropriate action.

12.00 Noon

[The Deputy Chairman in the Chair

PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE

Notifications of The Ministry of Law, Justice and Company Affairs (Department of Company Affairs)

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LAW, JUSTICE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS (SHRI RANGARAJAN KUMARA-MANGALAM): Madam I lay on the Table—

I. A copy (in English and Hindi) of the Ministry of Law, Justice and Company Affairs (Department of Company Affars) Notification S.O.No.666(E), dated the 3rd October, 1991, amending Schedule II of the Companies Act, 1956. under sub-section (3) of section 641 of the said Act.

II. A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Notifications of the Ministry of Law, Justice and Company Affairs (Department of Company Affairs), under sub section (3) of section 642 of the Companies Act, 1956:—

(i) G.S.R. No. 614(E), dated the 3rd October. 1991, publishing the Companies (Central Government's) General Rules and Forms (Second Amendment, 1991.

(ii) G.S.R. No. 39(E), dated the 10th January, 1992, publishing the Companies (Acceptance of Deposits) Amendment Rules 1992.

[Placed in Library. *See* No. LT 1549/92 for (I) and (II)]